



PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q80612

DOI, Tomoko, et al.

Appln. No.: 10/803,976

Group Art Unit: Not yet assigned

Confirmation No.: Not yet assigned

Examiner: Not yet assigned

Filed: March 19, 2004

For: ULTRAVIOLET CROSSLINKING PRESSURE-SENSITIVE ADHESIVE
COMPOSITION, PROCESS FOR PRODUCING SAME, PRESSURE-SENSITIVE
ADHESIVE SHEET AND PROCESS FOR PRODUCING SAME

**RESUBMISSION OF TRANSMITTAL LETTER, SPECIFICATION, CLAIMS,
ABSTRACT, PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT, DECLARATION, AND INFORMATION
DISCLOSURE STATEMENT WITH FORM PTO/SB/08 A&B AS FILED ON MARCH
19, 2004**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

On March 19, 2004, Applicants filed a divisional application based on pending parent Application No. 09/794,402. The divisional application included a filing/transmittal letter, a copy of the parent application (including the Specification, claims and Abstract - 50 pages total), a copy of the Declaration from the parent, a Preliminary Amendment and an Information Disclosure Statement. A Request for Early Notification of Serial Number postcard accompanied the divisional filing.

About a week later, the undersigned's office received the Serial Number Card in the mail. The PTO accorded the divisional Application Serial No. 10/803,976 and a filing date of March

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19, 2004, as reflected on the PTO sticker applied to the postcard. The Serial Number Card also indicated on the left-hand side that the PTO allegedly did not receive "Specification, claims, Abstract, drawings¹, Declaration, etc." See Exhibit A, which is a copy of the postcard containing the PTO's notation.

In response to the serial number card, Applicants herewith resubmit the March 19, 2004, divisional filing/transmittal letter, the application (Specification, claims, Abstract - 50 pages total), Preliminary Amendment, Declaration, and Information Disclosure Statement with Form PTO/SB/08 A&B as filed on March 19, 2004. Applicants request that these papers be processed as a divisional application with a filing date of March 19, 2004.

Applicants have proof that Specification, claims, Abstract, Preliminary Amendment, Declaration, and Information Disclosure Statement with Form PTO/SB/08 A&B were originally filed along with a check in the amount of \$770.00 on March 19, 2004. The filing of all these papers is evidenced by the PTO stamped Filing Receipt for the above identified application - copy enclosed as Exhibit B. A copy of check No. 243159 for the base fee of \$770.00 which was cashed on March 22, 2004, is also attached as Exhibit C.

In the event that a Petition is required to preserve Applicants' right to the original divisional filing date of March 19, 2004 for the above identified application, this Resubmission

¹ No drawings were submitted with this Application.

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should be construed to be such a Petition out of caution. Applicants are concurrently filing a
Contingent Petition for Extension of Time in the parent application, extending the date for
responding to the Final Office Action from March 19, 2004, to April 19, 2004.

The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue
Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any
overpayments to said Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,



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Date: April 19, 2004

The PTO did not receive the following item(s) Specification
Claims Abstract, drawing of Declaration

REQUEST OF EARLY NOTIFICATION OF SERIAL NUMBER

Inventor(s): Tomoko DCI, Michiharu YAMAMOTO, Yutaka MOROISHI,
Yoshihide KAWAGUCHI, Fumiko NAKANO

Title: ULTRAVIOLET CROSSLINKING PRESSURE-SENSITIVE
ADHESIVE COMPOSITION, PROCESS FOR PRODUCING SAME,
PRESSURE-SENSITIVE ADHESIVE SHEET AND PROCESS FOR
PRODUCING SAME

Atty Doc. #: Q80612 Client: NGB CORPORATION

Filing Date: March 19, 2004 # Pgs. ^{KS} Spec/Abst: 49/1 #Claims: 11

Dwg. Sheets: Nil Decl copy Prelim Amdt yes

DS/Prior Art: yes Pr Doc: parent Asgmt: parent Fee: \$770.00

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EXHIBIT A

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EXHIBIT B

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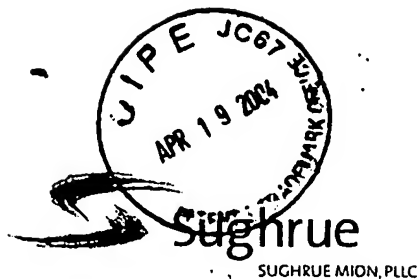
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March 19, 2004

MAIL STOP PATENT APPLICATION

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Re: Application of Tomoko DOI, Michiharu YAMAMOTO, Yutaka MOROISHI,
Yoshihide KAWAGUCHI and Fumiko NAKANO
ULTRAVIOLET CROSSLINKING PRESSURE-SENSITIVE ADHESIVE
COMPOSITION, PROCESS FOR PRODUCING SAME, PRESSURE-
SENSITIVE ADHESIVE SHEET AND PROCESS FOR PRODUCING SAME
Assignee: **NITTO DENKO CORPORATION**
Our Ref: Q80612

Dear Sir:

This is a request for a Divisional Application of pending prior Application No. 09/794,402 (Confirmation No. 4744) filed February 28, 2001, of Tomoko DOI, Michiharu YAMAMOTO, Yutaka MOROISHI, Yoshihide KAWAGUCHI and Fumiko NAKANO entitled ULTRAVIOLET CROSSLINKING PRESSURE-SENSITIVE ADHESIVE COMPOSITION, PROCESS FOR PRODUCING SAME, PRESSURE-SENSITIVE ADHESIVE SHEET AND PROCESS FOR PRODUCING SAME.

This application is being filed under 37 C.F.R. § 1.53(b). Enclosed is a specification, including the claims and abstract, a copy of the Declaration as filed in the prior application, Preliminary Amendment and an Information Disclosure Statement.

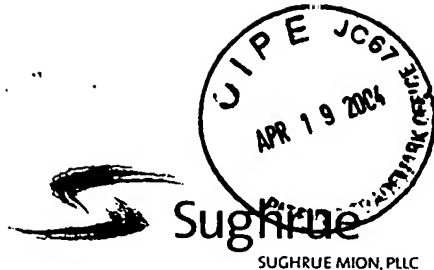
The prior application is assigned to Group Art Unit 1713.

The entire disclosure of the prior application, Application No. 09/794,402 filed February 28, 2001, is considered a part of the disclosure of the accompanying continuation or divisional application and is hereby incorporated by reference.

Priority is also claimed from:

<u>Country</u>	<u>Application No</u>	<u>Filing Date</u>
Japan	2000-056002	February 28, 2000
Japan	2000-256670	August 28, 2000
Japan	2000-354244	November 21, 2000

The priority documents were filed in parent Application No. 09/794,402.



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Divisional of 09/794,402

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The Government filing fee is calculated, **after entry of the Preliminary Amendment**, as follows:

Total claims	<u>2</u> - 20	=	<u> </u>	x	\$18.00	=	<u> </u>	\$0.00
Independent claims	<u>1</u> - 3	=	<u> </u>	x	\$86.00	=	<u> </u>	\$0.00
Base Fee								\$770.00


TOTAL FILING FEE								<u>\$770.00</u>
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A check for the statutory fee of \$770.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No. 19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this transmittal letter is attached.

A Petition and payment for an extension of time is being filed concurrently herewith in Application No. 09/794,402. The application is timely filed.

Respectfully submitted,

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